

REMARKS

The Office Action dated June 10, 2005 has been carefully considered.

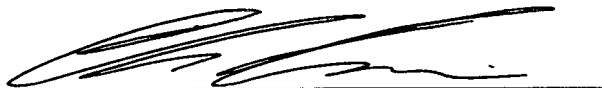
Double Patenting

Pending claims 1, 3, 4, 6 and 7 are provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over co-pending application No. 10/632,762 in view of Kadowski or U.S. Patent No. 6,384,274 to Elder et al. A terminal disclaimer for the conflicting co-pending application is attached herewith.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that all pending claims are in condition for allowance and request that all claims be allowed. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned should he believe that this would expedite prosecution of this application. It is believed that no fee is required. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.

Respectfully submitted,

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